

# Our Summer Offerings!

THE LAST OF OUR LONG LIST ARE  
ON THE PRESENT WEEK.

A great many goods have been sold at this store the past month at ridiculously low prices, but we shall add this week to this low-price selling.

You can make a good big saving on a great many things that are in want for immediate use. Just spend a little time here and we will show you some of those big values in Suits, Walking Skirts, Wash Skirts, Wash Goods and Muslin Dresses.

The Kind of Ladies' Suits We Sell for \$12.50

are made of all wool black cheviot, jacket lined with silk, and a Fall style. We are also showing big values at \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00. It's the little things, like linings, finish and trimmings, that make our Suits different.

## HOMER FITTS



## SCHOOL SHOES.

The kinds that are a delight to parents, because they wear well.

We have the NEVER RIP kind, for Youths and Boys, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per pair.

Misses' Kid and Box Calf, Button and Lace, - \$1.00 and \$1.25  
Children's Kid and Box Calf, Button and Lace, - .85 and 1.00

## People's Shoe Store,

157 North Main Street. C. S. ANDREWS, Proprietor.

HAVE YOU TRIED OUR

## 25c and 35c Coffee?

With every pound of this Coffee sold we give you one guess on a bottle of beans, and the one guessing the nearest will be given five pounds of Coffee.

## CHESSER & BIRD,

(TELEPHONE CONNECTION)

323 North Main Street. Meats and Provisions.

## Nice Cookies!

Fine assortment of more than a dozen varieties. All prices, from 10c to 15c a pound. See them in window. Egg Biscuit, 18c a pound. Nice and fresh.

## LINLY A. AVERILL,

Telephone 45-2. 200 North Main Street.

## Fall Hats and Caps!

A Full Line for Men and Boys Just Received  
At the Union Clothing Company's Store!

We have all the shapes and colors that can be desired. Turn-up brims, wide and narrow and straight brims, in black and all shades of grey, stone and brown. A great variety of all the FALL, 1903, STIFF HATS. Among other lines we keep the justly celebrated JUBILEE STIFF HAT, the best \$3.00 Hat in the market, and sold by us this week for only \$2.50.

SOFT AND STIFF HATS at all prices—50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50—which represent the best values in town for the money. The latest and most fashionable styles in MEN'S AND BOYS' FALL CAPS can also be found here to satisfy the most particular customer. We will sell any of our 50-cent Caps this week at 45c. You can save money by giving us a call. We guarantee to please you.

## Union Clothing Co.,

M. S. LEVIN, Proprietor

Old Skating Rink, Opp. Depot Square. Barre, Vermont.

## THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

BARRE, VT., SEPTEMBER 1, 1903

### Weather Predictions.

Boston, Sept. 1.—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Higher west-ly winds.

### TALK OF THE TOWN.

Local Happenings Tensely Told For Busy Readers.

Ballard & Co., reliable insurance.

Wise King Flour is growing in popularity.

Consult the eye sight specialist for glasses at J. W. Holton's.

Fresh oysters at the City Fish Market Friday and Saturday.

### EAST BARRE

A large number from here attended the Grange picnic held last Saturday near Washington. Despite the rain they seemed to have a good time.

Rev. A. J. Eastman and wife went to Barre yesterday on business.

Herb. Whitcomb drove a number of Odd Fellows to Plainfield last night to see there the working of the second degree.

Mert Cutler, wife and child drove home from Hardwick last Sunday, where they had been visiting friends.

School opened today with a good attendance. Miss Maggie Fraser is teacher in the primary department. Miss Kennedy in the senior room and Miss Ryle and Miss Preston in the same places as last term.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson with children, also Miss Ethel Hamilton drove from East Orange Saturday, remaining over Sunday as guests of Mrs. A. C. Coleman.

Last Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Sadie Eastman a number of young people gathered and formed a young ladies' aid. The members have already begun work and good results are looked for.

Sunday evening a little girl was born to Mrs. Jas. Moran of Westerville. The mother and child are both getting along nicely.

It was with some difficulty that the teachers succeeded in finding boarding places. Miss Kennedy is at the home of Mrs. A. C. Dickey, Miss Ryle and Miss Preston with Mrs. Enoch Campbell and Miss Fraser is at present stopping with friends on the hill.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church are making plans for a "harvest supper" to be given in the church vestry Friday, Sept. 4, from 5 to 7 p. m. Workmen come from work as you are and be treated to the best. All are invited. This menu will be served: Baked beans, brown bread, boiled dinner, succotash, white bread, doughnuts, pie, cake, tea, coffee.

### SOUTH BARRE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Adams and Mrs. C. L. Adams from West Minster, Mass., are visiting at G. H. Adams.

### A RAILWAY'S HOODOO.

Gray White Owl's Cries Believed to Foretell Disaster.

A gray and white owl which lurks in trees in the early morning and hoots in the twilight as trains of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad go whizzing by New Haven, Conn., has come to be regarded as a hoodoo by the trainmen, says the Fall Advertiser Press.

Death and catastrophe have marked the system for weeks. Hardly a day has passed but a wreck has occurred or a trainman has gone to his death. In nearly every instance engineers and firemen say the hoodoo owl appeared by night or day a few hours before.

So strong has grown the superstition concerning the hoodoo bird that attempts have been made to kill it, but though stray shots have been fired from trains in the suburbs no one has reported having hit the owl.

### The Cutty.

It is not generally known that the word cutty as applied to a species of clay pipe very much used is a corruption of Kutach, a city in Asia Minor, where a species of soft white stone is found which is exported by the Turks to Germany for the manufacture of tobacco pipes.

Boys are you prepared for the opening of school with a new suit, trousers, cap, shirts, hosiery, etc.? If not, go to McWhorter's.

Large line of stationery and school supplies. The Boston Bargain Store.



## D. F. DAVIS, "The Druggist,"

262 North Main St., - - - Barre, Vermont.

## THE RATHGEBER TRIPLETS.

Fraud Father Bears the News While Borrowing Baby Clothes.

The residents of East New York, in Brooklyn, are confident that if President Roosevelt would just come around and take a peep in at the family of William Rathgeber, who lives in Drew avenue, near Atlantic, he would take a more hopeful view of the race suicide matter, says the New York Times. There is no race suicide going on in the Rathgeber household. Until a few days ago there were nine little Rathgebers. Now there are twelve, the newest three having arrived together.

Mr. Rathgeber was comfortably seated in the dining room reading his newspaper the other morning when the nurse opened the door and stuck her head in.

"It's a boy," she announced.

"Hooray!" exclaimed Mr. Rathgeber, throwing down his paper and rushing out to be congratulated by the neighbors. He was making a house to house hand shaking tour when one of his young sons overtook him.

"Hey, pop!" he said breathlessly. "there's another one of 'em!"

"Another what?" asked Mr. Rathgeber.

"She said it was a girl this time."

"Wow!" yelled Mr. Rathgeber, making a bee line for home.

As clothing for only one baby had been provided the second arrival caused some embarrassment and confusion. Mr. Rathgeber was sent out hot foot to borrow baby apparel from the neighbors. He was rushing from house to house when another of his many sons ran up to him.

"They says for you to get clothes enough for another one while you're at it," announced the youngster.

"What! For another one?" gasped Mr. Rathgeber.

"Yep; there's three of 'em now," returned the boy.

Mr. Rathgeber started back over the route and gathered together enough clothing for half a dozen babies. At the rate they were coming he felt that there might be that many more when he got back to the house. But the third baby, a boy, was the last. The father rushed off for his pastor and had him at once christen the new arrivals. They were named respectively Peter, Mary and Charles. Then he had the three photographed together and finally was for hoisting the flag on the roof and setting off a bunch or two of firecrackers, but was prevailed upon to forego this demonstration of fatherly pride.

Mr. Rathgeber has mailed the following letter to the chief executive at Washington to await his home coming from the west.

Dear Mr. President—I have always been a great admirer of yours, as I think all good German-Americans are, regardless of politics, because of your healthy, honest manliness. We who have to work with our hands cannot bear a snob or one who toadies to any man or power.

It is part of this character of yours to advocate the responsibilities of family care for husbands and wives, and by laying down the law in the way you have you have increased our respect for you, which was already great. This is especially true as we see that you practice what you preach.

I know you will be glad to hear that I, a poor wheelwright, who have already had the joy of nine children, now with my dear wife welcome three more, Peter, Charles and Mary, at one time, into the world. We have none of the fancy things of life, but we have the necessary comforts, and among these our little ones are far from the least, according to our way of thinking.

I have often enjoyed the pictures of your happy looking family in the papers, and I send you mine, from a loyal American, hoping you will enjoy seeing our latest arrivals. Very respectfully yours, sir, WILLIAM RATHGEBER.

## THE American Fidelity Co., MONTPELIER, VT., SURETY BONDS ACCIDENT INSURANCE.

J. W. DILLON,  
Barre, Vt.,  
C. H. BIGELOW  
East Brookfield,  
Agents.

Our Line of

## Society Stationery

Cannot be Surpassed. We have everything that is new.

School Tablets,  
3 cents each, two for 5 cents.  
About half what some others ask.

## D. F. DAVIS, "The Druggist,"

262 North Main St., - - - Barre, Vermont.

## You Can Save 15 Per Cent Discount

If you buy Muslin Underwear this month. We sell the Home Made Make and it always gives satisfaction. You can depend on it every time. Think what you can save by trading at

## VEALE & KNIGHT,

Worthen Block, - - - 127 North Main St.

## Food Drinks!

SOME DRINKS ARE FOODS,  
SOME ARE NOT.

The drink that stimulates, invigorates and nourishes is the proper kind. Coffee!—The effect of Coffee upon a very few people is somewhat disagreeable, but to the many who can use Coffee, and love their morning cup, ROSADA will prove the "peer" in deliciousness and in the above-named qualities. A trial is the most potent convincer. 35c per lb.

Cocoa Rockwoods, small size, per can..... 10c  
Cocoa Admirals, per can..... 15c  
Other brands, per can, from..... 25 to 48c

Our TEAS, from 25c to 60c per pound, are absolutely best at the prices.

## Sowden & Lyon,

Telephone, 217-3. North Main Street, Barre, Vt.

## IF YOU WISH

A Table or a Chair or anything in our line we would like you to visit our store.

Just received, a new lot of those handsome Willow Rockers and Arm Chairs. We guarantee satisfaction both in quality and price.

## A. W. Badger & Co.,

See Us for Values in Furniture. Morse Block, Barre, Vt.

Undertakers! [Residence Call, 23 Eastern Avenue.] Funeral Directors!

House, 150-21. TELEPHONE—Store, 187-11.

Ambulance Ready for Any Calls at a Moment's Notice.

## GODDARD SEMINARY

OPENS

Tuesday, Sept. 8th, 1903.

Business Course of Two Years. Students completing this course will belong to regular classes and receive diplomas. High School graduates can complete the course in one year.

Send for Catalogue to

O. K. HOLLISTER, - - - - - Principal.

## "Just-Right" Coffee!

This Coffee is one of the most pleasing blends ever offered to the public. Price per 1 1/2-pound can - 50c  
Sweet Potatoes, six pounds for - 25c

## M. J. McGOWAN,

Telephone Connection. South Main Street, Barre, Vt.

## Star Bloomer Girls

VS

## Barre Ball Team.

At Granite City Trotting Park,

Wednesday, September 2d, at 4 p.m.

ADMISSION, 25 CENTS.

## Green Sage Cheese, old.

Finest Full Cream New Cheese in town. Come in and sample them.

Telephone 31-3.

## Two Packages "Ready Bits" and one of "Power," 30c

Be sure and notice trades in this space each week.

L. M. AVERILL, Opposite City Park,

## Coffee and Tea.

Have you tried ours? Best in town. We ought to know good teas or coffees.

Barre, Vermont.